


Gender in Transition:
Men and Women in Europe and The Commonwealth of Independent States
Agenda/Programme

10.00 – 10.05 Welcoming remarks/ Introduction – Anna Darska, Head of UNDP in Poland

Part I – Gender, transition, and development in the region: implications for Poland

10.05 – 10.20 **Keynote speech: Kori Udovički**, United Nations Assistant Administrator; Director,
UNDP Regional Bureau for Europe and CIS,
Gender, transition, and development

Presenters

10.20 – 10.35 **Ben Slay**, Director, UNDP Bratislava Regional Centre,
Gender and demographics in the region

10.35 – 10.50 **Fiona Beveridge**, University of Liverpool
**Gender equality laws in the new EU member states: Implications for candidate
and neighbourhood countries**

10.50 – 11.05 **Barbara Limanowska**, UNDP regional gender advisor
Survey data from the region: What do they tell us about emerging gender attitudes?

11.05 – 11.20 **Erika Kvapilova**, UNIFEM Regional Office for Central and Eastern Europe, **Commentary**

11.20 – 12.00 **Discussion/questions** (with audience and media participation, moderated by Anna Darska)

12.00 – 12.45 Lunch, media interviews

Part II – Gender in Poland – The role of government and business

Presenters

12.45 – 13.15 **Michał Boni**, Labour market expert
The role of government and the private sector in promoting gender equality

13.15 – 13.30 **Angela Coyle**, City University of London
Gender discrimination in Poland and out-migration

13.30 – 13.45 **Anna Karaszewska**, Deputy Director General, Polish Confederation of Private Employers Lewiatan
Gender equality in the Polish workplace: Attitudes and best practices

13.45 – 14.15 **Marta Rawłuszko**, UNDP Poland
Women in Poland 2007 and the Gender Index

14.15 – 14.30 **Barbara Limanowska** – UNDP regional gender advisor, **Commentary**

14.30 – 15.00 **Discussion/questions** (with audience and media participation, moderated by Anna Darska)

15.00 Media interviews

